

ABSTRACT

A data communication system comprises a portable device for effecting radio communication, a communication adapter card for storing therein a plurality of communication protocols corresponding to a plurality of communication systems employed by the portable device, a computer in which the communication adapter card is inserted to execute data processing, and a connector cable composed of a first connector connected to the portable device, a second connector connected to the communication adapter card for outputting identification information to identify one of the communication systems employed by the portable device, and a cable for connecting between the first and second connectors.